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Mr. Gordon L. Lambert
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(Canada) - Labour legislation such

dear sir the... of repressive
as decree... the resulting loss of freedom of organization
for labour in Chile... are unacceptable violations of basic rights
of workers everywhere we call on your organization

Dear Mr. Lambert,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your cable of 12 October
concerning violation of Freedom of Association in Chile.

As a result of several complaints from trade union inter-
nationals, the ILO has been seized with this problem. By
separate airmail post I am sending you a copy of the report on
the Trade Union situation in Chile as well as a copy of the last
report of the Committee on Freedom of Association of the
Governing Body. The matter will come up again at its next session
in November.

I hope these reports will provide you with information on
the situation there and the action the ILO has taken so far.

Yours sincerely,

Yours Sincerely
Amal Mukherjee

Amal Mukherjee
Chief of the
Workers' Relations Branch

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